

Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quota-control officer to deduct three numbers from the appropriate quotas for the first year that such quotas are available.

Approved September 1, 1954.

Private Law 996

CHAPTER 1250

AN ACT

September 1, 1954
[H. R. 4813]

For the relief of Radu Florescu and Nicole Elizabeth Michel Florescu.

66 Stat. 163.
8 USC 1101 note.

Quota deduc-
tions.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purposes of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Radu Florescu and Nicole Elizabeth Michel Florescu shall be held and considered to have been lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence as of the date of the enactment of this Act upon payment of the required visa fees. Upon the granting of permanent residence to such aliens as provided for in this Act, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quota-control officer to deduct two numbers from the appropriate quotas for the first year that such quotas are available.

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Private Law 997

CHAPTER 1251

AN ACT

September 1, 1954
[H. R. 5461]

To confer jurisdiction upon the United States Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Wah Chang Corporation against the United States.

Wah Chang Corp.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding any statute of limitations, lapse of time, or any prior court decision on this claim by any court of the United States, jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the United States Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Wah Chang Corporation against the United States for compensation for loss of property and for removal expenses incurred as a result of the acquisition in the year 1942 by the United States for military purposes of pier numbered 13, New York foreign trade zone, Staten Island, New York, which had theretofore been leased by said Wah Chang Corporation and upon which the said Wah Chang Corporation had erected and maintained a tungsten processing plant.

SEC. 2. Suit upon such claim may be instituted hereunder not later than one year after the date of the enactment of this Act: *Provided, however,* That nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as an inference of liability on the part of the United States Government.

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Private Law 998

CHAPTER 1252

AN ACT

September 2, 1954
[S. 2316]

For the relief of the Birmingham Iron Works, Incorporated.

Birmingham Iron
Works, Inc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money